(ii) human desensibilities are not offended by vulgarity, obscenity or depravity.

State Governments and Union Territory Administrations have also been requested from time to time for stricter enforcement of the provisions of the Act as the implementation is the responsibility of these agencies.

Second channel for Guwahati Doordarshan

530. SHRIMATI BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that Government propose to set up a second channel of Doordarshan at Guwahati for the benefit of the people of North-Eastern region ; and

(b) if so, the details in this regard ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (KUMARI GIRIJA VYAS) : (a) and (b) There is at present no proposal under consideration of the Government to introduce second channel TV service at Guwahati. However, in addition to a Studio Centre already functioning at Guwahati a Programme Production-cum-feeding Centre has been established separately at Guwahati. On commissioning of this Centre a common regional TV service is proposed to be disseminated via satellite for the benefit of the people of North-eastern region. Besides, TV coverage the North-Estern region is expected to improve considerably on Commissioning of various TV transmitters and studio projects under implementation in the region.

Profit earned by Government through Doordarshan commercials

531. SHRIMATI BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY : Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state :

(a) what is the amount of profit earned by Government through commercials in Doordarshan during 1991 ;

(b) whether Government propose to reduce the time allotted to commercials in view of growing public resentment over commerealization in Doordarshan ; and

(c) if so, the details in this regard ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (KUMARI GIRIJA VYAS) : (a) The gross revenue earned by Doordarshan through commercials during 1991 was Rs. 305.73 crores.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) Does not arise.

Press Information Bureau to computerise its photo indexing features

532. SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR SAHU : Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state :

(a) the details of action taken or proposed to be taken in respect of